

THE WEATHER Fair today and Saturday.

C. M. CAMPBELL ELECTED SUPT. OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WAS CHOSEN FROM FIELD OF 53 OTHER APPLICANTS

Elected at Meeting of School Board Last Night. Comes Here From Jonesboro.

At a meeting of the Public School Board of the City of Washington, which was held last night, C. M. Campbell was elected Superintendent of the City Schools for the coming term.

Mr. Campbell is a graduate of Trinity College, class of 1907. During the past two years he has been superintendent of the schools at Jonesboro, Lee County, N. C., and prior to that, was connected for four years with the Durham city schools.

Mr. Campbell was selected by the board from a field of fifty-three applicants. The board made the selection with the theory that it would be best to select a young man who has made good and demonstrated his ability as an organizer and school superintendent. Believing that such a man, if he came here would make his home in the city and be willing to stay here a number of years.

The ability of the new superintendent has been shown and proven in the work which he did at Jonesboro. He was one of the best men that the school there had ever had.

as superintendent. He was popular with young and old alike and left with the best wishes of every resident for success in his new and larger field.

Mr. Campbell is in the city today, but it is his intention to leave again within a day or two. Within the next two weeks, when ex-Superintendent Newbold returns from Raleigh, he will arrive here for the purpose of discussing the plans and work for the coming year with Mr. Newbold.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell will move here some time during the month of August.

At the meeting of the School Board, it was also decided that G. B. Howard, who has been manual training instructor in the school part of the time, be re-elected to give all of his time to this department. Mr. Newbold wired Mr. Howard to that effect this morning.

Miss Annie Cox was re-elected instructor in the business department, her work during the past year, having been highly satisfactory.

AUTO RACES AT INDIANAPOLIS

Thirty-One Cars, Representing the Best in the United States and Other Countries are Entered in Big Race.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 30.—Thirty-one cars, representing the best the United States and Europe have to offer, are registered for the third annual 500-mile International Sweepstakes to be run over the Indianapolis Motor Speedway today. There are seven more cars in this year's race than there was in the 1911 contest and twelve more than will line up in the French Grand Prix, which is the greatest race held in Europe.

For the first time in the history of these contests, permission has been granted to a woman auto driver to compete in the races. She is Miss Vivian Prescott, a young Philadelphia society girl. The darling young driver created a sensation at the Vanderbilt cup races by taking a part in the death dealing course disguised as a mechanic and riding with Neil Whalen.

Charles Rose is a starter for the races and he will be assisted by H. De Long. The course has been amply protected by the city authorities and 500,000 are expected to witness the race. The prizes aggregate \$55,000, and qualifying cars were compelled to make a minimum speed of seventy-five miles per hour for one lap of two and one-half miles in the elimination trials. This year a maximum piston displacement of 450 cubic inches is imposed, as against 600 cubic inches last year.

The cars entered and the known names of the drivers are: Stutz, Anderson; Stutz, Merr; Nyberg, H. Endicott; Keaton, Burman; Mason, Evans; Mason, Towers; unknown, not nominated; Stutz, Herr; Sunbeam (English); Guyot; Henderson, Knipper; Fox Special, Wilcox; Smada, Adams; Peugeot (French); Goux; Peugeot (French); Zucarello; Amel, Llew; Schacht, Jenkins; Mercer, De Palma; Mercer, Bragg; Mercer, Wishart; Mercedes-Knight (German); Pilette; Special-Knight; Pennabaker; Tulsa, Clark; Mercedes (German); Mulford; Isotta (Italian); Grant; Isotta (Italian); Tetallaf; Isotta (Italian), not nominated; Case, Disbrow, B. Endicott; Case, Nikrent; unknown, not nominated; Mason, Haupt.

Unusual interest attaches itself to the men composing the Mercer team. Bragg and Wishart driving racing cars, not because the prize money has any particular lure for them, but because they like the excitement of the sport. They both began their careers by driving big foreign cars, which they owned themselves, and with Ralph De Palmer these men form one of the strongest aggregations ever engaged to struggle for motor supremacy.

They are well known throughout motordom, and each driver has heard the cheering thousands on the Speedway. Wishart is a familiar figure in his big Mercedes. Bragg has driven many great races, and it was he who was inadvertently the cause of De Palmer's accident last season at Milwaukee, which almost resulted in the death of the latter pilot. He was seriously injured as it was, and his mechanic, Tony Scudolari, was killed.

The cast are all selected with care, each one especially fitted for the character they are to portray and with Will Harding, Isaac Hughes, James Powle, Chas. Meekins, John Cotton Taylor, Harry Foote and a chorus of the best looking girls and boys in Washington, surely "The Girl in Pink" will be a success.

Tickets for the production are on sale at Woolly and Etheridge's store and remember that every ticket you buy helps the Library Association to secure funds to carry on their work. The play will only be given one night. The prices are 50c., 75c. and \$1.00.

MISS MAYO ENTERTAINS. Miss Adeline Mayo entertained at bridge last night. Those who were present and enjoyed the games were Mesdames J. B. Moore, A. M. Dumay, Geo. T. Leach, C. Fisher of Norfolk, Jas. H. Hodges, D. T. Taylor and Miss Annie Cox.

High score was made by Mrs. Jas. H. Hodges. Ice cream and cake was served.

TUXEDO'S HORSE SHOW. Tuxedo, Mass., May 30.—Thirty-two classes will be judged during the annual Horse Show of the Tuxedo Fair Association which began today. Today's feature is a free-for-all half-mile trot. There are two classes for draft horses.

"GIRL IN PINK" AT AUDITORIUM THIS EVENING

MUSICAL COMEDY, WITH LOCAL CAST, TO BE PRESENTED TONIGHT FOR BENEFIT OF PUBLIC LIBRARY.

PLAY STARTS AT 8:30

Advance Sale of Seats Has Been Large. Record Breaking House Expected. Play to Be Given Only One Night Here.

TIME? Tonight at 8:30. PLACE? Auditorium, Washington, N. C.

ATTRACTION? "The Girl in Pink." Fortified by two weeks of hard work in rehearsing, Harry Foote's new musical comedy "The Girl in Pink" will be presented at the Auditorium tonight at 8:30 o'clock.

Everyone connected with the play is enthusiastic and of the opinion that this new play is superior to the Slumberland performances.

Miss Robena Carter who will take the part of "Lunette" has a wonderfully sweet soprano voice and her songs in the play are sure to win great applause. Miss Carter is one of the promising sopranos of the State, while her voice is not exceptionally strong, yet one could not wish to hear a sweeter one and we fully believe she will be one of our best vocalists sometime in the near future.

Ben Taylor, as usual, has one of the leading parts in this "Pink Lady" show and Ben claims he will deliver the real goods tonight. Miss Nina Rhodes will assume the part of "Eunice," her interpretation being perfect of this difficult role and for once we will see this young lady in a funny character. Everyone knows what a real comedienne Miss Nina is, to see her portray her talents in this line will indeed be a treat.

The costumes worn at last night's dress rehearsal were rare gems of art. The first act depicts a scene of a stranded theatrical company holding a dress rehearsal in the living room of a country hotel. This company have jumped their board bill at the last town, and the sheriff is after them. Dolly, who is Miss Ada Rhodes in the play, has many strange experiences during the three acts, and this young lady's ability to sing, dance and act is well known to our people.

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FEATURE ATTRACTION AT LYRIC THEATRE TODAY.

The program offered at the Lyric Theatre last evening was one that well pleased and furnished a high-class entertainment from vaudeville and motion pictures.

"Richardson & Bernard" opened for a three-day engagement with a black face singing and talking act. These artists were exceedingly clever entertainers and were very graceful in their movements. Their costumes were among the best that has ever appeared on the Lyric stage. However, these artists received very little applause. Their act was very refined and fully up to the standard, apparently a tan act does not go well with the Lyric audience.

Today's program offers a change in vaudeville, and a feature class of motion pictures without extra addition in price. The main feature being a two reel drama made in Ireland by the Pathe players, who produced "Romeo & Juliet" and considered to be equally as good.

AT THE CIVIL COURT. The case of A. G. Spencer vs. G. A. Spencer and K. Eula Spencer was non-suited in Civil Court yesterday. The plaintiff gave notice of fee.

A judgment for the plaintiff was rendered in the case of J. B. Feed vs. W. A. Eratch.

The case of L. G. Qaton vs. L. M. Blakely is being tried this morning.

MILITARY TOURNAMENT IN PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia, May 30.—One of the largest Memorial Day tournaments ever held in this city is planned for the entertainment of the G. A. R. veterans today. The tournament takes place on Frankfield Field and members of the National Guard, Naval Reserves and Fencibles will be seen in competitive drills.

MOTOR CYCLE RACES BEGIN.

Brighton Beach, N. Y., May 30.—Fifty nights of high-class cycle racing at the Brighton-Beach-Stadium-Motordrome form the program which will be inaugurated tonight. The schedule includes every sort of event conceivable, running the gamut from special match races, handicaps, sweepstakes championships for individuals and teams to inter-sectional races between the premier motor cycle riders of the East and West.

A Word to "The Storekeeper"

The manufacturer who tries to help you sell his goods after he has induced you to stock up on his line deserves your hearty co-operation. But it is up to you to decide whether the manufacturer is actually helping you, or whether he only thinks he is.

If he is creating a desire for his product without creating an actual demand on your store for it, his help is of little value to you.

The one big advantage of newspaper advertising is that it creates not only desire, but actual demand. Most other mediums stop at desire.

The best kind of advertising that a manufacturer can do for your benefit is local newspaper advertising. Tell his salesmen so next time they come around. Show them that you know by experience the value of newspaper advertising, and that you want all the branded goods you handle advertised in a way that will bring customers to your store to ask for them.

DANIELS' SOCKS STILL CAUSE TROUBLE

LETTER RECEIVED FROM SECRETARY BY DAILY NEWS IN REGARD TO MATTER.

States That Solution Which We Published Was Original, But Intimates That It Is Not the Correct One.

We are sorry to take up a matter again, which has been discussed before, but the question which still agitates the public mind is WHY DID SECRETARY DANIELS WEAR ONE BLACK AND ONE WHITE SOCK?

We thought we had it all out and dried, but Mr. Daniels has upset all our theories. Here's the rather vague letter which we received yesterday:

Dear Editor: I greatly enjoyed the clippings that you sent me from the Daily News. Some of the bright newspaper men in the building suggest that the white and black socks were means of keeping in mind the star-board and port idea, as a sort of assistance to the recent "right" and "left" order of the Navy Department. I think perhaps that explanation would do about as well as the one the lady suggests, although hers is certainly original.

With best wishes always, I am Sincerely, your friend, JOSEPHUS DANIELS.

The fat's in the fire again. Evidently the solution which we printed in our columns about a week ago was not the right one. What is? We would like to hear from some of our readers in regard to this important matter. Tell us why you think the Secretary wore socks of a different color, and we will print your solution to him and let him state which is correct.

MONUMENT TO MAJOR BUTT

Washington, May 30.—A monument to Major Archibald W. Butt, military aid to Presidents Roosevelt and Taft, and who was lost when the Titanic sank in April, 1912, was dedicated in Arlington National Cemetery today upon a spot Major Butt in 1902 selected for his burial place, when he was depot quartermaster here and in direct charge of the cemetery.

The monument is a 12-foot granite Latin cross and was erected by Major Butt's brothers. A portion of the inscription says: "A devoted son and brother, an efficient officer, a loyal friend, who in death as in life, served faithfully God and humanity."

A joint memorial to Major Butt and Frank D. Millet, the Washington artist and member of the National Commission of Fine Arts, who also perished when the Titanic sank, is to be erected near the White House. It is to be a small ornamental fountain, containing a shaft with two classic figures in bas-relief, one of eulogy, representing Major Butt, the other of art, representing Millet.

MAY 30 IN HISTORY

1796—Battle of Borghetto; Bonaparte defeated the Austrians.

1806—Bonaparte issued a decree calling an assembly of Jewish deputies for the purpose of forming a Sanhedrim.

1814—Treaty of Paris between Louis XVIII. and the allied Sovereigns.

1848—The Irish agitator, Daniel O'Connell, sentenced to fine and imprisonment.

1848—General Herrera elected President of Mexico by eleven States against five.

1868—A treaty concluded between the United States government and the Omaha nation.

1902—St. Gaudens's statue of General Sherman unveiled in New York City.

1904—Japanese occupy Pailny.

1912—Colonel Roosevelt's followers prepare to move on Chicago to fight his nomination for president.

W. H. and O. C. Mayo of South Creek, are visitors in the city today.

EXAMINATION OF WITNESSES CONTINUES

MEN WHO HAVE BEEN ACQUAINTED WITH ROOSEVELT FOR MANY YEARS TESTIFY ON STAND.

EVIDENCE IN FAVOR OF COL.

All Witnesses, in Examination, State That They Have Never Seen the Ex-President Under the Influence of Liquor at Any Time.

The suit of Theodore Roosevelt against Editor Geo. A. Newell, made very little progress in the court at Marquette yesterday.

The examination of witnesses continued. Five witnesses, including a relative, a former member of the Rough Riders' regiment, a newspaper man and a former judge testified that they had known the Colonel for many years and that never, during that time had they ever seen him under the influence of liquor.

All admitted that they had seen him sip wine or champagne occasionally, but that was only at dinner or at public affairs.

GILEAD ITEMS

Rev. S. S. Kirk filed his appointment at Ephesus Saturday night and Sunday.

We are grieved to say that Mrs. Mary Ecklin continues to be seriously ill. The end is expected at any time.

Misses Barbara and Myrtle Jones of Wharton, who spent a few days here with friends, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ecklin of Washington are here this week, the guests of their mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cutler of Chocowinity were the guests of his father, J. B. Cutler, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren of Chocowinity and Mr. and Mrs. John Cutler were visitors of Mrs. P. L. Hill Sunday.

Misses Barbara and Myrtle Jones and Ruby Latham spent Monday night with Miss Dora Daniels.

Mrs. L. B. Hill had the misfortune to fall from her porch one day last week, getting both arms hurt very badly, but she is getting along nicely now.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nobles and little son of Chocowinity were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Buck, Saturday night.

Messrs. L. Taylor and son and Henry Hill and Mr. Dixon of Chocowinity were in our midst Sunday.

Several young ladies from Blounts Creek attended services at Ephesus Sunday morning.

BOSTON OBSERVES THE DAY.

Boston, May 30.—The usual parades and mass meetings with addresses by prominent citizens marked the observances of Memorial Day here today. The G. A. R. veterans are growing so feeble that it is predicted they will not be able to march in many more Memorial Day parades.

VASSAR LIFTS TANGO BAN.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., May 30.—Great is the joy at Vassar. The ban has been lifted on the turkey trot and the tango, and at the senior "prom," today the young women may dance the heretofore forbidden steps to their hearts' contents. The college dances have not been largely attended by men this season because of the ban on the new dances, and the girls let it be known that they were through with the old ones.

LIST YOUR TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to all persons in Washington Township required to list property or poll for taxation, who have not listed will find me at the Court House on Friday and Saturday, May 30 and 31, for the purpose of receiving their list. After the above dates the tax list will be closed.

Attention is also called to the fact that failure to list will result in your being double taxed. Respectfully, W. G. STANCILL, List Taker for Washington Township. 5-25-etc.

MAINE MONUMENT IS DEDICATED

Thousands View Impressive Ceremonies Which Were Held in New York City Today. Governor of New York and Governor of Maine Present at Ceremonies.

New York, May 30.—Twelve United States battleships, under the command of Rear-Admiral Badger and a Cuban battleship, with every available man from all the army posts near New York and 5,000 blue jackets from the North Atlantic fleet, paraded today in honor of the unveiling of the monument erected at Central Park. There were about 25,000 spectators. The actual unveiling was under the direction of Frederick D. Owen, of the Department of Public Buildings in Washington. Governor Sulzer and Gov. Haines of Maine also participated in the ceremonies, and there were present several of the survivors of the Maine and mothers, widows and children of those who went down with the battleship.

The line of march began at Fort-tenth street and continued up Fifth avenue to Fifty-ninth street, thence to the monument. By direction of President Wilson a floral wreath was placed on the monument in the name of the United States. The Governors of New York and Maine, the City of New York and Republic of Cuba followed the president's example.

TO HANG MINISTER.

Fort Smith, Ark., May 30.—Unless his sentence is commuted at the last minute, which is thought unlikely, Rev. Marion Cappe, recently convicted of the charge of burning two of his children to death in an oil soaked bed, dies today, by hanging, in the prison here.

MANY OBSERVE MEMORIAL DAY.

New York, May 30.—Memorial Day was largely observed here today, two notable features occupying attention. The first was the annual parade of Grand Army Veterans, whose ranks are growing thinner every year, and the second was the Work Horse Parade, which is held every year under the direction of a committee of ladies headed by Mrs. James B. Speyer, wife of the banker-philanthropist.

GUN CLUB AVERAGES

The Gun Club enjoyed a very interesting shoot yesterday afternoon. Mr. White lead the marksmen with the excellent percentage of 94. The complete scores made yesterday were as follows:

- White 94.
- Etheridge 88.
- Hodges 88.
- Squires 84.
- Sterling, C. B., 79.
- Bland 74.
- Fowle 73.
- Hodges, Mint, 72.
- Knight 68.
- Lancaster 66.
- Kear 65.
- Charles 64.

PAY HONOR TO BARBARA PRIETCHIE.

Frederick, Md., May 30.—The remains of Barbara Fritchie, the heroine of Whittier's beautiful poem, and those of her husband, John C. Fritchie, which were recently disinterred from the old Reformed cemetery, Frederick, Md., where the graves have been viewed by thousands, and placed in the mausoleum at Mount Olivet, were buried, with appropriate ceremonies, on Memorial Day, May 30.

The services were held immediately following the G. A. R. observances at the foot of the local post.

The coffins were draped with the battle flags of the post. Chief Judge Hammond Urner presided over the ceremonies, while the religious services were in charge of Rev. Henri L. Keltner, pastor of the Evangelical Reformed Church, of which Barbara Fritchie was a member.

The address was delivered by Dr. Howard C. Stalder of Baltimore, Librarian of the Pratt Library, who was formerly a resident of Frederick, and whose family were connected with the administration of Mrs. Fritchie's business interests after the death of her husband.

RAILROADS FROM USE OF CANAL.

Washington, May 30.—The new law, barring all railroads from the use of the Panama Canal, after its completion, became effective today. The Commission has been ascertaining what railroads own steamship lines or have stock in them in order to enforce the Congressional act regulating commerce through the Panama Canal.